ODELL-HALPIN BILL PASSED

IT EXTENDS THE MAYOR'S TERM OF OFFICE TO FOUR YEARS.

Also the Terms of the Comptroller and Borough Presidents of This City-Committee of Nine Police Bill Gets Through the Assembly-Other Measures Passed.

ALMANY, April 27 .- Only after much maneuvering, Senator McCarren talking against time, were Senators Haines and Malby able to muster the 26 votes needed to pass Assemblyman Agnew's Odell-Halpin bill in the Sermie to-day. This measure extends from two to four years the terms of office of the Mayor, Comptroller and Borough Presidents of New York city. The bill was passed by a vote of 26 to 18. Eighteen Republicans voted against the bill, while 12 Republicans voted with 14 Democrats for it. Then, because Senator Elsberg was absent, a motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed was tabled, and it will come up again when Senator Elsberg recovers from a slight illness.

Senator Brackett spoke against the bill, saying that he was opposed to the centralization of power, either in a city, the State or the nation, and that the people of a municipality were entitled to pass upon the acts of their chief executive oftener than once in four years.

Senator White said that a reform administration could not justify itself in less than four years.

Those who voted for the bill were: Senators Ambler, Burr, Carpenter, Cooper, Cordts, Davis, Drescher, Goodsell, Malby, Raines Saxe and White, Republicans; Cullen, Dooling, Fitzgerald, Foley, Frawley, Grady, Hasenflug, Hawkins, Keenan, Kehoe, Marks, Martin, McCarren and Riordan, Democrats. Those who voted against it were: Sena-

tors Armstrong, Brackett, Brown, Fancher, Cassidy, Cobb, Coggeshall, Fechter, Gardner, Gates, Hinman, Lewis, L'Hommedieu, McEwan, Prime, Tully, Warnick and Wil-

Assemblyman Yale's bill, creating a pension fund for the civil cervice employees in New York city passed the Senate by a

A bill introduced by Senator McCarren authorizes the Brooklyn Borough President to change the location of railroad tracks in Coney Island avenue between Fort Hamilton and Neptune avenues from the side ton and Neptune avenues from the side to the center thereof.

At the request of the Maritime Exchange,

Senator Cullen introduced a resolution providing for the appointment of a joint legislative committee to investigate and report to the next Legislature why the commerce of the port of New York has been gradually declining each year. The resolution was referred to the Finance Com-

Assemblyman Prentice's committee of

did not vote.

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Democratic, may secure Democratic trial commissioners. Next year the complexion of the department will be politically changed and then the bill will go through.

Senator Elsberg's bill compelling the New York city Board of Estimate and Apportionment to give notice twenty days in advance of a public hearing on any application for a franchise or grant passed the Assembly.

The Assembly also passed the two bills of Senator Carpenter, which seek to give

of Senator Carpenier, which seek to give the New Haven Railroad Company the right to build a six track rapid transit railroad from New York city to New Rochelle, and Assemblyman Tompkins's bill giving Police Commissioner McAdoo authority to make

Commissioner Maadoo authority/to make rules and regulations governing vehicular traffic in New York city.

Assemblyms: Prentice's bill giving Street Commissioner Woodbury authority to sand and sprinkle New York city streets was on the Assembly calendar to-day for final passage, but many typographical errors were found in it and the bill will have to be reprinted. Mr. Prentice will ask the Governor to give him an emergency message so that the bill can be passed without having to lie on the members' deaks three days after being reprinted.

The Assembly passed Assemblyman Sullivan's bill which provides that captains of the New York city police force may be selected from sergeants who have served two years, instead of three years, as at present.

Senator Ambler gave notice in the Senate Senator Ambier gave notice in the Senate that he intended soon to move a suspension of the rules to pass out of its order Assem-blyman Wainwright's bill extending to the cities and villages of the State the principle of local option recognized in the Raines law, which now only applies to towns. The passage of this bill through the Senate is doubtful.

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The companion bills to Mayor McClellan's water bill, Assemblyman Yale's bill protecting Putnam county and Assemblyman Apgar's for Westchester county, were passed in the Senate to-day. The Mayor's bill and the Agnew State Water Commission bill were reported favorably yesterday amended. Unless Gov. Higgins should send in an emergency message these bills will have to lie on the desks of the members for three days and cannot be passed. bers for three days and cannot be passed before Monday night.



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HALPIN GRAB BILL DEAD When in the Order of Final Passage Its

Sponsor Had It Laid Aside. ALBANY, April 27 .- The efforts of Chairman Odell and his allies, William Halpin, Jr., and Tom Hamilton, County Clerk of New York county, to secure patronage amounting to \$600,000 at the expense of the city of New York, have proved futile. The Beihilf bill, creating the office of commissioner of records in connection with the office of County Clerk of New York county, is dead. It cannot pass. To-day, when the bill was reached on the order of final passage in the Assembly, the intro-ducer moved that it be laid aside.

"Am I to understand that the bill is not to come up to-day," asked Minority Leader

"The gentleman simply asked that it be laid aside," replied Speaker Nixon.

Mr. Beihlif looked wise and said nothing. This morning, before the session, Speaker Nixon and Majority Leader Rogers con-ferred in the Speaker's room with Mr. Beihilf regarding the bill. The conference was of such length that the Assembly was not called to order until after the usual hour. As a result of the conference it was decided to lay the bill aside, for it was known that if it came up it would be de-feated. The bill is now out of the posses-sion of the Committee on Rules, being on what is called the laid aside calander. At this period of the session few bills that are to be passed are ever laid aside. In order to get it on the calendar for final passage would be necessary to give a day's notice

it would be necessary to give a day's notice to the house.

Just at the present time there is some doubt as to what course would be the wiser one to pursue. While the anti-Odell forces are anxious that the bill shall be killed, some of them question whether it would not be best to permit the bill to pass the lower house and die while on its way across the corrider to the Senate chamber.

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Some of the anti-Odell followers do not think it would be best to disclose their true strength in the lower house just now, while on the other hand the Odell machine followers are most anxious to prevent a line up. Then there are members of the Assembly who have important local legislation pending, and they are afraid, if they are called upon just at this stage of the game to take sides one way or the other, their personal legislation will suffer.

RAINES HOTELS TO STAY. Senator Raines's Action Gives Them

Another Year's Lease of Life. ALBANY, April 27 .- Senator Raines to-

day moved to non-concur in the Assembly amendments to his anti-Raines hotel bill. "The changes made in the Assembly," said T. H. Reed, secretary of the Committee of Fourteen, "merely restored the bill to the form in which it was originally introduced. Senator Raines had said that he would concur in this amendment if made in the Assembly. His action is regarded by the Committee of Fourteen as a direct breach of faith, and Assemblyman Frence's committee of nine police bill passed the Assembly forday by a vote of 84 to 39. Assemblyman Tompkins (Tammany) was the only Democrat to vote for the bill. Assemblyman Friedel, who represents the Eighth New York city district and is a Republican did not vote. he will be held personally responsible for before May 1, and so gives the Raines law

"The bill as it passed the Senate provided

offered an amendment reducing the salary of the inspector of the bureau of criminal investigation. He said he understood the place was to go to Steve O'Brien and he didn't think him a fit person to command cattle, let alone having control over men. He resented what he declared the inspector had said, that "All the detective sergeants stood in with crooks and thieves." He then withdrew the amendment.

Assemblyman Dale (Dem., Kings) wanted to amend so that instead of the detective sergeants shall be so treated. He said there was a "nigger in the fence" in the provision in favor of these detectives, who, he said, were "old cronies hanging around the walls of Mulberry Street and of no use." The amendment was defeated.

By a vote of 52 to 59 the Assembly defeated Assemblyman Wainwright's bill creating the office of Supreme Court trial commissioner in New York city. The Republicans refused to make it a party measure. They don't want the bill this year, for they fear that the Appellate Division of the First Department, to see whether or not they compled with the building laws. "The bill as it passed the Senate provided for inspection of all the hotels by the building department, to see whether or not they complied with the building laws of the State and locality as regards the freproof construction of hotels. This bill would have affected only such hotels in the city of New York as were over 35 feet high, as others are exempted from the fireproof regulation of the building law.

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"It would not have affected hotels in the city of New York are in buildings under thirty-five feet high ment which Senator Raines opposed to-day to the end that all victors hotels will have another year of infamy before them. We regard the action of Senator Raines as unjustifiable and treacherous.

Vetoed by the Governor.

ALBANY, April 27.—Gov. Higgins has vetoed Senator Brackett's bill permitting railroad corporations to take possession of real estate under condemnation proof real estate under condemnation pro-ceedings immediately upon filing a bond to be approved by the court, instead of, as now required by law, depositing with the court a sum equal to the value of the prop-erty to be taken. The bill is vetoed not only on account of its doubtful constitu-tionality, but because such a bond might be inadequate and become worthless. This is the third vete of Gov. Higgins this ses-sion. Two of them have been of Senator Brackett's bills.

Silverman's Death Sentence Commuted. ALBANY, April 27 .- Gov. Higgins to-day extended executive elemency to William Silverman of Glens Falls, who was convicted of the murder of his sister. The trial developed some doubts as to the sanity of the murderer, but not sufficient to prevent his conviction and the affirmation of the judgment by the Court of Appeals. The Appellate Court, however, recommended to the Governor that the case was one warranting him in extending mercy, and it was in pursuance of that recommendation that the Governor to-day directed that Silverman abould be confined in Clinton Prison for life.

No Hearing on Mortgage Tax Bill Before

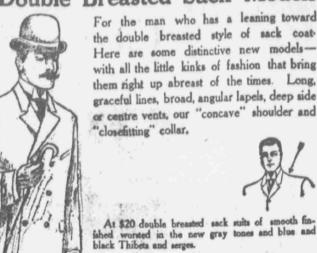
Final Adjournment. ALBANY, April 27 .- No hearing will be given by Gev. Higgins on the mortgage tax bill before the Legislature adjourns. He said to-night that when the Legislature had completed its work and such revenue measures as it might pass were before him he would then decide whether any hearing would be given. He would be guided entirely by the time at his disposal. The Governor has received a request for a hearing on the Yale bill providing a retirement fund for employees of New York city, which passed the Senate to-day.

Work Begun on the Barge Canal. ALBANY, April 27 .- The work on the roposed thousand ton barge canal has been begun at Fert Miller, six miles above Schuylerville, Saratoga county, where Contractors Sundstrom & Stratton of New York city, who have contract No 3, for the canalizing of the Hudson River and for some work on the Champlain canal, have set a large force of men at the work of excavat-

Bill to Repeal Stock Transfer Tax Law ALBANY, April 27 .- Senator Marks (Tammany) introduced a bill to-day to repeal the stock transfer tax law, which was signed only a few days ago. Senator Marks has ready for introduction a bill to repeal the mortgage tax law if the Governor signs that.

College of Pharmacy Commencement. The seventy-fifth annual commencement exercises of the College of Pharmacy were held last night in the Carnegie Music Hall. The commencement was the first since the college became a part of the Columbia University corporation last July and the exercises were under the supervision of officers of the university. There were 104 graduates in pharmacy and thirteen men to receive the degree of doctor of pharmacy.

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MORE IMPORTANT TO THE PUB-LIC THAN FIXING RATES.

fr. Hines Says the Fallure of the Commission to Prosecute Was Responsible for Its Prevalence in the Past-Shippers Oppose Government Ratemaking.

WASHINGTON, April 27.-Walker G. Hines, representative of the Atlantic Coast Line, in continuing his argument against Government rate regulation before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee to-day took up the subject of rabates, which was, he said, a question of far greater importance to the public than fixing rates, because it was more desirable that every one be charged the same rate for the same service. One of his objections to the Each-Townsend bill was that it provided no additional safeguards against rebates.

On the other hand the rigidity of the rates to be fixed by the Commission created by the bill would be an additional incentive to the granting of the rebates by the roads. Then, too, the present law made it easy to reach rebaters by injunction in any United States Circuit Court, whereas under the proposed legislation such efforts would be confined to one court, the transportation

The failure of the commission to prosecute, he thought, had been responsible for the prevalence of rebating in the past, and while it had new been almost completely suppressed by the Elkins law it would soon revive. As that was the greatest evil of the railroad question he urged legislation which would enlarge the facilities of the commission for running down violators by the appointment of more special inspectors. Another suggestion he made was that the commission dispense with the long hearings in cases which would go to the courts. It was a mere waste of time on matters which should be expedited.

P. B. Yates of Beloit, Wis., a manufacurer of wood working machinery, doing a business of \$1,500,000 yearly, was the next witness. Expressing the views of large shippers of the Northwest, he prolarge shippers of the Northwest, he pro-tested against the placing of the rate mak-ing power in the hands of the Interstate Commerce Commission. Government rates could be made only on a mileage basis, he asserted, and that would bring about a centralization or a localization of business that would be fatal. Under the existing conditions competition flourished and he was entirely satisfied.

M'LEAN LEADS FOR SENATOR.

He Seems to Be Most Favored to Succeed HARTFORD, Conn., April 27 .- The Repubcan caucus to nominate a candidate for United States Senator to succeed the late Senator Orville H. Platt was called to-day for next Thursday afternoon in the capitol. The indications to-night are that there will be a warm contest before the nomina-

candidates for the one have opened the dequarters in this city and are making the liveliest kind of a canvass for votes.

They include ex-Gov. McLean, Congressman Brandegee, Congressman Hill, Samuel Fessenden and State Senator Paige. Brandegee is the youngest man in the race. He was born in 1884 and was graduated from Vale in 1885. MoLean, concer part. Tale in 1885, MicLean comes next. He was born in 1887 and started to earn his living as a newspaper reporter in Hartford. He was Governor from 1901 to 1903. The oldest one of the candidates is Congressman Hill, who is 60. Then comes Fessenden,

who is 58, and Paige, who is 51. who is 58, and Paige, who is 51.

An informal canvass of the State Senste,
which was in session to-day, showed that
MoLean had 10 votes, Fessenden 6. Brandegee 3 and Paige and Hill 2 each. The
remainder of the thirty-five Senstors were
absent. McLean seems to be the favorite absent. Solution and the race. Quite an opposition has been started against him by the other candidates among the farmers in the General Assembly because of his attitude on the question of increased representation

in the Assembly.

It is reported to-night that Brandeges. Fessenden and Paige have combined to defeat McLean. United States Senator Bulkeley is for McLean.

Bronx Wants More Cars.

The State Railroad Commission met resterday morning at the Bronxland Hotel, Willis avenue and 132d street. Property Owners' Association, complained of the inadequacy of the service furnished by the Union Railway Company.

A. C. Hottenroth, speaking for the Taxpayers' Alliance, asked the commission to order the Third avenue elevated line extended to West Farms.

The commission will return the commission of the commission of the commission of the commission of the commission will return the commission of the commission of the commission of the commission will return the commission of the commission o Capt. Charles Baxter, representing the The commission will return answers at its meeting on May 24.

The State to Purchase the Site of Fort

Brewerton in Oswego County. ALBANY, April 27.-The commissioners of the State Land Office to-day decided to purchase for the State the site of Fort Brewerton, in the town of Hastings, Oswego county, if the owners will accept \$1,250 for it. The purchase is made pursuant to Chapter 653 of the laws of 1904, which di-Chapter 633 of the away of 1004, which directed the commissioners to so do on recommendation of the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society. That act appropriated \$2,000 for the purchase.

changes to be made had been fully deter-mined on and would probably become known officially before President Roose-velt returned to the capital from his West-

has ended and his withdrawal from that post is necessary.

It was declared in official quarters tonight that other diplomatic missions would be given Mr. Bowen and Mr. Russell and that Mr. Barrett also would be provided for if he desired. One of the three Ministers affected will go to Chile in the same capacity, filling a post that has been vacant since Henry L. Wilson of Washington was transferred to Belgium. Mr. Russell was for many years secretary of the legation at Caracas, and it may be that the Administration intends to send him back there as Minister. He is very popular in Caracas, where his tact and ability may be exceedingly useful in the present condition of the relations between Venezuela and the United States.

GALVESTON OFF FOR KEY WEST. Her Commander Made No Reference to

Insubordination Among the Crew.

GREEN'S APPEAL FILED.

hamton from the refusal of Judge Ray of the United States Court for the Northern district of New York to grant him a writ of habeas corpus, was filed in the Supreme Court to-day. Green is resisting removal to the District of Columbia, where he is indicted for conspiracy with George W. Beavers to defraud the Government in purphening time clocks for the Past Office.

Summer in England.

WASHINGTON, April 27 .- Mrs. Taft, wife has taken a cottage at Brighton and will go so far from them.

Fraud Order Against Oscar P. Smith.

Army and Navy Orders.

ome and wait orders. Paymaster P. G. Kennard, to the Newark.

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COMING DIPLOMATIC CHANGES. American Ministers in South America to

Washington, April 27.—There is to be a shifting about of part of the American diplomatic representatives in South America, and it was said to-night that the

em trip.

As far as can be ascertained three Ministers only are to be affected. They are John Barrett of Oregon, Minister to Panama; Herbert W. Bowen of New York, Minister to Venezuela, and William W. Russell of Maryland, Minister to Colombia. The changes are in consequence of the decision of the Administration to adopt Mr. Barrett's suggestion that his diplomatic duties rett's suggestion that his diplomatic duties be vested in the Governor of the Panama Canal Zone, and the further decision that the usefulness of Minister Bowen at Caracas has ended and his withdrawal from that post

WASHINGTON, April 27 .- In reporting to the Navy Department the departure of his vessel from Galveston for Key West to-day Commander Cutler of the cruiser Galveston made no reference to the reported insubordination of many of the crew and consequent imprisonment of about sixty jackies. If there had been serious trouble while the vessel was at Galveston Com-mander Cutler would undoubtedly have

mander Cutler would undoubtedly have reported it.

It is the belief of the naval officers that the trouble, if there was any, was due to the newness of the crew and possible dissatisfaction of recently enlisted coalpassers and messroom attendants. Nine deserters from the North Atlantic fleet, who gave themselves up at the Mare Island Navy Yard at San Francisco during the last several weeks, were put en board the Galveston at Galveston.

Former State Senator Who Was Implicated

in the Postal Frauds. WASBINGTON, April 27 .- The appeal of purchasing time clocks for the Post Office Department.

Department.

The hearing of arguments for the present term of the Supreme Court will close on Friday and the appeal will accordingly go over until next fall. All action in the case will therefore be suspended until the case is heard and the court's decision is an-

Mrs. Taft and Her Children to Spend the

of the Secretary of War, will spend the summer with her children in England. She go over some time in June. She could not accompany the Secretary of War on the trip to the Philippines because she could not take the children and did not wish to

WASHINGTON, April 27 .- A fraud order was issued by Postmaster-General Cortelyou to-day against Oscar P. Smith, 105 Chambers street, New York, on the ground that the Homeowners' Corporation, 198 Broadway; against which a fraud order was issued recently, was seeking to evade the order by having its mail addressed to Smith.

WASHINGTON, April 27 .- These army orders were

issued to day:
Chaplain Joseph Casey, assigned to First Infantry.
First Lieut. William H. Haymend, from 111th
Company, Coast Artillery, to 121st Company.
First Lieut. Theodore H. Koch, from 121st Company.
Coast Artillery, to 111th Company.
Second Lieut. Charles F. Donnehue. Artillery
Corps, from 111th Company, Coast Artillery, to his
proper company.

These naval orders were issued: Lieutenant-Commander T. C. Fenton, to Bureau of Steam Engineering. Pay Inspector J. S. Phillips, from the Newark to

Trolley Interborough Road Increases

The New York City Interborough Railway Company, which has obtained franchises for trolley roads in The Bronx, filed yesterday with the County Clerk a certificate of an increase in its capital stock from \$400,000 to \$5,000,000. Arthur Turnbull, president of the company, said yesterday that the company had always intended to increase its capital when construction began. Work has been going on on one of its lines in The Bronx for some weeks now.

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PRESIDENT CUTS HIS OUTING.

WILL START FOR WASHINGTON ON MAY 8.

This is a Week Earlier Than He Had Intended-The Accumulation of Official Business in Washington Is Given as the Cause of the Change of Program.

WASHINGTON, April 27 .- Word was received in Washington to-day that President Roosevelt had changed his plans so as to start on his return to Washington a week earlier than he had intended. A Government officer who has been in communica tion with the President said to-night that he knew of no urgent reason for Mr. Roosevelt's presence at the capital sooner than he had originally arranged to be back. He explained that just prior to his departure from Washington on April 8 the President said that he had planned to remain away until the end of May, but he supposed that after he had been absent a few weeks he would change his program and return. It is believed here that the President, finding that official business requiring his attention is accumulating faster than he expected, wants to get back in plenty of time to dispose of it before he goes to Oyster Bay for the

When Mr. Roosevelt left Washington he contemplated staying away until about May 27, but when in Texas he decided that he would start on his return journey on May 15. His present plan is to conclude his hunting trip and begin his homeward journey on May 8. This will necessitate a change in the dates of the celebrations in the President's honor at Denver and Chi-

It is the understanding here that the President will leave Washington for the summer a few days after June 15. He will make a trip to Brooklyn on Memorial Day in the meantime.

GLENWOOD SPRINGS; Col.; April 27 .-President Roosevelt has decided to break camp on May 7 and start for Washington the next day. Press of public business in Washington is the reason given for the change of program. It has been un-derstood that the President and his friends would remain in the mountains until May 14.

When May 8 rolls around President when May 8 rolls around Fresident Rossevelt will have been in the mountains just twenty-two days. "If I get one bear I will be satisfied, and if I get two I will be delighted," said he just before he left New Castle. Mr. Roosevelt has three pelts to his credit, and this fact, it is believed, has to some extent dulled his appetite for the chase. There is certainly nothing of urgent importance going on at Washington requiring the attention of the President, or the start would be made at once.

or the start would be made at once.
Secretary Locb to-night notified the organizations in Denver and Chicago that have fixed dates for the entertainment of President Roosevelt that he would start East a week earlier than was expected. The President will keep these engage-ments. He will attend a banquet at Den-ver and be the guest of three clubs in Chicago, as originally planned.

PRESIDENT BAGS ANOTHER BEAR And Dr. Lambert Two Smaller Cinnamons -After "Old Clubfoot."

GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Col., April 27 .-Three more bear pelts were placed in the hands of Taxidermist Frank Hayes to-day. The latest contributions are fine specimens and fully up to the standard. As usual, the largest akin is the trophy of President Roosevelt, the two smaller cinnamons having been killed by Dr. Lam-

The Presidential party is keeping Hayes busy. In addition to the six bears, he is also treating the skins of two bobcats. President Roosevelt is anxious to land Old Clubfoot, an ancient bear that has been prowling around in the mountains for years. He has been tracked by hunters for years, but has always managed to get away. There was a report to-day that Fred Tollens, a rancher, had treed Clubfoot and killed him. This has not been confirmed, however. If it is the truth it will be

bowever. If it is the truth it will be disagreeable news for the President.

Camp Roosevelt will be moved early in the week to a point closer to Glenwood Springs. This was decided upon just before Secretary Loeb left the President this morning. The new camp will probably be pitched at the head of Spring Gulch, which is about twenty-five miles from Secretary Loeb's headquarters.

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The fact leaked out here to-day that it is the ambition of Secretary Loeb's life a bag a bear. After his return from the mountains a week ago Mr. Loeb was quiet and thoughtful. When he got in this morning after a night in camp he had brightened up and looked more cheerful than he had for several days. Then he made a confession. When the President and the party move closer to Glenwood Springs it is his intention to join in the hunt for two or three days, and the secretary will do his best to be in at the death of a grizzly. If he fails he will go home disappointed.

President's Hunting Ground Set Aside as a

Forest Reserve. WASHINGTON, April 27.-Orders issued to-day by the Land Office setting aside 1,605,700 acres of land in Colorado as a forest reserve. This land includes the country where President Roosevelt is now hunting and extends southeast, following the ranges and divides nearly to Lead-

CITY WINS GAS SUIT.

Effort to Enjoin It From Paying Companies' Bills Fafis.

The suit recently brought by W. R. Hearst against Mayor McClellan, Comptroller Grout, City Chamberlain Keenan and Commissioner Oakley of the Department of Water Supply. Gas and Electricity to enjoin them from paying the outstanding claims against the city made by the electric light and gas companies was decided in favor of the city officials by Supreme Court Justice Kelly in Brooklyn yesterday.

The proceedings were brought to prevent the city officials from paying the claims of the electric and gas light companies for lighting Manhattan and The Bronx from Jan. 1, 1903, to March 1, 1904. The present officials refused to enter into a new contract when they took office in 1904 on the ground that the rates were excessive. The companies continued to light the city until March 1, 1904, when a new coantract was entered into. Comptroller Grout then agreed to compromise the claims by not paying the interest asked for. Mr. Hearst then stepped in and asked for an injunction enjoining the city officials from paying the claims, aggregating \$3,000,000, on the ground that they were excessive. The case was tried before Justice Kelly in Special Term and yesterday he handed down his decision.

The lighting companies are suing the city to recover the amount of their bills, and the city. Comptroller Grout says, will not pay the bills except when the courts decide that they are fair and just.

Russell Sage Tak es Judgment Against Fred Cocheu.

Russell Sage entered a judgment for \$54,951 yesterday against Fred C. Cooheu of Brooklyn for the amount due on a stock note of \$58,000, made on Dec. 24, 1902, by Patrick H. Flynn, payment of which was guaranteed by Mr. Cocheu, Michael J. Coffey and H. W. Hedenberg. Mr. Sage took judgment for the same amount against Messrs. Flynn, Coffey and Hedenberg on April 11.



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FIRE CHIEF M'ADAMS DEAD. Victim of Paralysis-Wife and Daughter

Died Within a Few Days. Henry W. McAdams, until two years ago a battalion chief in the Fire Department, died of paralysis last night in the Presbyterian Hospital. He was stricken March 29 and taken to the hospital on April 2. Mr. McAdams retired two years ago

Mr. McAdams retired two years ago after about twenty-five years of service. He was connected with the school of instruction for twenty years, originated the life saving corps of the department, and devised the steering gear used on the engines. He won several medals for heroic conduct.

Last Tuesday his daughter Lillian died at home of consumption and on Saturday Mrs. McAdams died in the French Hospital. Mr. McAdams was not told of their deaths. Mrs. McAdams died in the French Hospital.
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In 1902 his son Harry died and a year later
a younger son, John. The only surviving member of his family is a daughter,
Mrs. Annie L. Thompson, who lives at 167
East Sixty-seventh street.
Mr. McAdams was 53 years old. Last
year he directed the "Fighting the Flames"
show at Luna Park.

CAPT. CRAVEN'S WIDOW DEAD. He Was Lost on the Tecumseh, Leading in

Rattle of Mobile Bay. Mrs. Marie L. Craven, the widow of Capt. T. Augustus Craven, who commanded the ironclad monitor Tecumseh in the battle of Mobile Bay on Aug. 5, 1864, died yesterday at her home, 36 West Ninth street, in her eighty-eighth year. Capt. Craven was selected by Admiral Farragut to lead the Federal ships into the bay on the day of the battle. The lecu by a torpedo. Capt. Craven could have escaped, but he went down with his ship,
Mrs. Craven was the daughter of the late
George Stevenson of Baltimore. She had
lived in New York the last forty years.
She took a great interest in church work
and for many years was the manager of
one of the hospitals in this city. She en-

joyed excellent health until recently.
She leaves one child, Mrs. Frank Learned of this city and a grandson and grand-daughter, children of the late Alfred Edminston

Obituary Notes.

John McLoughlin, a member of the firm of McLoughlin Bros., publishers of children's books at \$90 Broadway, died at his home, books at \$90 Broadway, died at his home,
2041 Fifth avenue, at 10 o'clock last night of
cid age. Mr. McLoughlin was 78 years of
age, a native of this city, and had been in
business sixty years. He was the first to
produce toy books for children and picture
books in colors. His first pronounced success
was an illustrated edition of 'Mother Goose'
in colors. He leaves two sons.

Dr. Julius Adolph Nordbreck died at his
home, 1260 Jeffersen avenue, Brooklyn, on
Wednesday in his thirty-seventh year. He
was a graduate of Columbia College and
visiting physician to the Manhattan Dispensary and Hospital. He was a member
of the Kings County Medical Society. His
wife survives him.

Charles Albert Muller, who died on Tuesday at his home, 08 Third place, Brooklyn,
in his forty-third year, had been connected
with the Appraiser's office in the New York
Custom House for twenty years. He was
an expert examiner of French fruits. He
leaves a widow.

Mrs. Louise S. Birkholz, wife of Assemblyman Edward D. Birkholz, of Orange, died

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Mrs. Louise S. Birkholz, wife of Assemblyman Edward D. Birkholz of Orange, died in St. Barnabas's Hospital, Newark, last night, following a surgical operation performed on Tuesday. The funeral services will be conducted at the house, 138 North Center street, Orange, and the interment will be in Woodlawn temetery, New York.

William D. Appleget, a commission merchant at 50 Thompson arenue, West Washington Market. New York, died yesterday at his home, 908 Hudson street, Hoboken. He was born on Jan. 10, 1858. He had been connected with the old and West Washington markets for thirty years. He, leaves a widow and a six-year-old daughter..

The War Department has been informed

and a six-year-old daughter...

The War Department has been informed of the death of John W. Currie, treasurer for the Philippine Government of the Province of Ilocos Norte. He was a readent of New York city and went to the Philippines in 1899.

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entering a plea of not guilty. entering a plea of not guilty.

Dr. Wales was indicted by the last Gand
Jury, among the various charges against
him being that he deposited to his own
credit the notes of other makers and had
also borrowed beyond the loan limit of 10
per cent. of the capital stock of the bank.
When the bank failed he had, it was alleged, deposited more than \$40,000 of notes
to his own credit. to his own credit.

Movements of Naval Vessels. WASHINGTON, April 27. - The cruiser Yankee has arrived at Sanchez, the gunboats Hornet and Siren at Washington and the collier Seturn at Santa Barbara.

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